

FEDERAL ELECTION COMMISSION

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Washington, DC 20003

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February Monthly Report (1/1/01-1/31/01)

Dear Ms. Anderson:

This letter is prompted by the Commission's preliminary review of the report(s) referenced above. The review raised questions concerning certain information contained in the report(s). An itemization follows:

-Please clarify the expenditure made for "media production" on Schedule(s) H4. If a portion or all of this expenditure was made on behalf of specifically identified federal candidates, this amount should be disclosed on Schedules B, E or F supporting Lines 23, 24 or 25 and include the amount, name, address and office sought by each candidate. 11 CFR §§104.3(b) and 106.1

-On Schedule H2, you have failed to check the ratio type box (i.e., NEW, REVISED, SAME AS PREVIOUSLY REPORTED). Please amend your report to correct this omission. 11 CFR §104.10(a)(1)

-On Schedule H4 supporting Line 21(a) of the Detailed Summary Page, you have failed to include a unique identifying title or code for the payment(s) made to several vendors. 11 CFR §104.10. Please amend this report to provide a unique identifying title or code for each entry omitting this information.

-Payments made to credit card companies must identify in memo entries, the original vendors from which you have purchased an item or service if your payments to these vendors have exceeded \$200 this year. Please

amend your report by providing the mailing address, date, amount and purpose of such payments as required by 11 CFR §104.9(b).

-Your EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE calculations for administrative/voter drive are incorrect. EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals for administrative and voter drive costs are derived by aggregating all disbursements during the calendar year for the whole Administrative/Voter Drive category. EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals for fundraising, direct candidate support, and exempt activities are derived by aggregating all disbursements during the calendar year within a specific event. These should be calculated by adding the latest disbursement for a category or event to the previous EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE total for that category or event. This running EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE total should be disclosed after each disbursement is listed. Please amend your report by providing the correct EVENT YEAR-TO-DATE totals.

-Itemized disbursements must include a brief statement or description of why the disbursements were made. Please amend Schedule(s) H4 of your report to clarify the following description(s): "supplies". For further guidance regarding acceptable purposes of disbursements, please refer to 11 CFR §104.3(b)(3).

A response or amendment to your original report(s) correcting the above problem(s) should be filed with the Federal Election Commission within fifteen (15) days of the date of this letter. Electronic filers must file amendments in an electronic format and must submit an amended report in its entirety, rather than just those portions of the report that are being amended. If you need assistance, please feel free to contact me on our toll-free number, (800) 424-9530 (at the prompt press 1, then press 2 to reach the Reports Analysis Division). My local number is (202) 694-1130.

Sincerely,

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